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Minutes of March 11, 2010

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Education was held on Thursday, March 11, 2010, in room 210, Farnum Building, 125 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933.

- Senator Kuipers called the meeting to order at 2:32 P.M. The roll of the Committee was called by the Committee Clerk:

Senator Kuipers – Present
Senator VanWoerkom – Present
Senator Cassis – Present
Senator Whitmer – Excused
Senator Gleason – Present

Agenda

- Approve minutes from March 4, 2010.

Motion by Senator VanWoerkom to approve the minutes from March 4, 2010 was supported by Senator Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- **HB 5094** Rep. DeShazor
Law enforcement; state police; commission on law enforcement standards; allow to collect certain fees.
- **HB 5095** Rep. Womack
Law enforcement; colleges and universities; private college security forces; provide for.
- Eric Restuccia, Solicitor General, representing Attorney General Mike Cox, spoke in favor of HBs 5094 and 5095.
- Matt Bolger, representing the Michigan State Police, did not wish to speak and is neutral in regards to HBs 5094 and 5095.
- Ed Blews, President of the Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Michigan did not wish to speak and is in favor of HBs 5094 and 5095.
- Motion by Sen. Gleason to report out HB 5094 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Gleason to report out HB 5095 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- **SB 751** Sen. Brown Elections; school; dates of school elections; revise.
- **SB 752** Sen. Switalski Elections; school; technical amendments to revised school code concerning school board elections; provide for.
- **SB 753** Sen. Brown Elections; school; school elections; revise.
- **SB 754** Sen. Kahn Elections; school; school elections; revise.
- **SB 755** Sen. Switalski Elections; school; special elections to submit ballot question to borrow money, increase a mileage, or establish a bond if an initiative petition is filed; eliminate.
- **SB 756** Sen. Brown Elections; school; reference to school district special elections; remove.
- Kendra Everett, representing Senator Cameron Brown, gave a brief introduction of the bill package.
- Mary Hollinrake, Kent County Clerk, representing the Michigan Association of County Clerks, spoke in support of SB 751-756.
- Dave Stafford, representing the Michigan Education Association, did not wish to speak and opposes SB 751-756.
- Becky Rocho, representing the Calhoun and Barry ISDs, did not wish to speak and opposes SB 751-756.
- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to adopt the S-1 substitute to SB 751 was supported by Sen. Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Cassis to report the S-1 version of SB 751 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Van Woerkom.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to adopt the S-2 substitute to SB 752 was supported by Sen. Gleason.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to report the S-2 version of SB 752 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to adopt the S-1 substitute to SB 753 was supported by Sen. Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to report the S-1 version of SB 753 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Gleason.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Cassis to adopt the S-1 substitute to SB 754 was supported by Sen. Van Woerkom.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes

Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to report the S-1 version of SB 754 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to report out SB 755 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Gleason.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to report out SB 756 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Gleason.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – NV
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Senator Kuipers adjourned the meeting at 2:51 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,


Paula Englin, Clerk


Date Approved


Wayne Kuipers, Chair